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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY UPDATE

AFFECTED AREA: DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY CUSTOMERS IN KALAPANA, PAPAIKOU, PAAUILO, HONOKAA, HAWI, MAKAPALA, KALOKO MAUKA, AND PAHALA

This is a Department of Water Supply (DWS) update for Tuesday, August 18, 2026.

DWS continues to work closely with Hawaiian Electric to restore normal power to DWS' facilities in Kalapana, Papaikou, Paauilo, Honokaa, Hawi, Makapala, Kaloko Mauka and Pahala. Until power can be fully restored DWS asks its customers in these areas to use water for **Essential Uses only**. DWS has deployed potable water tankers or installed temporary spigots at the following locations for customers use. Please limit usage to your essential potable needs only.

Kalapana:

- Near intersection of Chain of Craters and Ahia Road

Papaikou:

- Spigots located mauka/Hamakua side of Highway 19 across of Kimura General store

Kaloko Mauka

- Spigots located at Kaloko Mauka tank #2 below Hao Street

Naalehu:

- Parking area across from Ace Hardware

A map of DWS' permanent water spigots can be found at www.hawaiidws.org under the Community drop down menu.

Please call DWS at (808) 961-8790 for water-related emergencies.

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